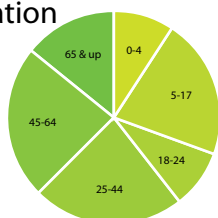
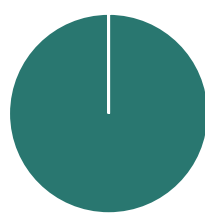


Adams County

Total Population
34,387



Population by age group



Population by race

Lead agency:

Boys and Girls Club of Adams County

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TOBACCO AND HEALTH IN ADAMS COUNTY

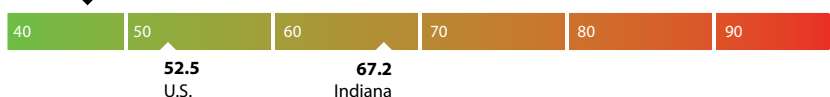
Percent of adults who smoke

19.1% = 4,522 smokers



Lung cancer deaths per 100,000 residents

46.8



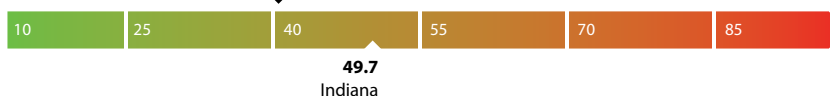
Cardiovascular disease deaths per 100,000 residents

282.7



Asthma related emergency room visits per 10,000 residents

40.2



Smoking and pregnancy

Births affected by smoking

65

low birth weight, SIDS, reduced lung function

Cost of smoking related births

\$111,872

Percent of pregnant women who smoke

Indiana **18.5%**

Adams County **9.7%**

Smoking deaths

Deaths attributable to smoking

54

Deaths due to secondhand smoke

7

Economic burden of secondhand smoke: \$2.1 million

Smoking related illness

1,076

TOBACCO CONTROL FUNDING

\$88,000

Funding in Adams County for July 2011- June 2013.

The CDC recommends the Indiana government spend **\$78 million** each year on tobacco prevention and control programs.

Actual spending in Indiana: **\$10 million**

\$4.8 billion

Economic cost in Indiana due to smoking, according to the Centers for Disease Control.

Cost per Indiana citizen: **\$740**

TOBACCO FREE POLICIES

Hospitals and Health Care Facilities:

- Adams Memorial Hospital
- Adams Health Network

School Districts:

- Adams Central Community Schools
- North Adams Community Schools
- South Adams Schools

COMMUNITY-BASED TOBACCO CONTROL COALITION

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| • Boys & Girls Club of Adams County, Inc. | • Thunderbird Products |
| • Adams Central, North Adams, & South Adams Corporations | • Dolco Packaging Inc. |
| • Adams County Health Department | • Decatur Chamber of Commerce |
| • Adams Memorial Hospital | • Purdue Extension Services of Adams County (4-H) |
| • Hope Clinic | • Healthy Families of Adams County |
| • Park Center | |
| • Decatur Dental Services | |
| • Decatur's Ministerial Association | |
| • Substance Abuse Awareness Council | |

COMMUNITY INDICATORS

Protect and maintain local tobacco control coalition infrastructure needed to combat tobacco use, as well as working with community organizations to reduce tobacco use among those groups most impacted by tobacco

Protect Hoosiers from exposures to secondhand smoke by:

- Supporting local or statewide smoke-free air ordinances for worksites, including restaurants, bars and gaming facilities
- Working toward smoke-free policies in public housing

Decrease adult smoking rates by:

- Promoting Indiana Tobacco Quitline (1-800- QUIT NOW) throughout the community
- Working with health care providers to ensure they ask, advise, and refer their patients to tobacco treatment
- Supporting employers to create healthier employees through employer supported tobacco treatment resources

Decrease youth smoking rates by:

- Supporting community activism among youth through the VOICE movement

